

MEMORANDUM OF AMENDMENT

REGARDING

MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING

BETWEEN

WASHINGTON STATE MILITARY DEPARTMENT

70TH REGIONAL READINESS COMMAND, US ARMY RESERVE

WASHINGTON STATE DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS

WASHINGTON STATE EMPLOYMENT SECURITY DEPARTMENT

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS, BENEFITS ADMINISTRATION

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS, HEALTH ADMINISTRATION

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

ASSOCIATION OF WASHINGTON BUSINESS

GOVERNORS VETERANS AFFAIRS ADVISORY COMMITTEE

PURPOSE

The purpose of this Memorandum of Amendment is to restate the intent of the Memorandum of Understanding to provide consistent service to all Reserve Component Personnel, both Reserve and Guard, serving in the State of Washington. To that end;

Each reference to the Washington State Military Department and/or Washington State National Guard shall be amended to include the 70th Regional Readiness Command (70th RRC), U.S. Army Reserve.

AMENDMENTS

Page 2, paragraph 1, is amended to include the 70th Regional Readiness Command, U.S. Army Reserve to the list of participants recognized and supported by the original Memorandum of Understanding.

Page 2, Section I, **COMMANDER'S INTENT** – Major General Timothy J. Lowenberg, is amended to add Major General Lawrence J. Johnson, U.S. Army Reserve. Major General Johnson's intent is that each Army Reserve Commander initiate activities as specified in the Memorandum of Understanding, and that these activities be coordinated between the office of the 70th Regional Readiness Command G-3, Deputy Chief of Staff, Operations (with Copy Furnished to G-1, Deputy Chief of Staff, Personnel) and the Washington State Department of Veterans Affairs.

Page 2, Section II, **FAMILY ACTIVITY DAY** - is amended to add the 70th RRC, U.S. Army Reserve to the definition of veterans.

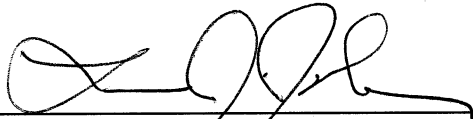
Page 3, Section III, **FAMILY SUPPORT** - is amended to include the 70th RRC Family Support Networks.

Point of contact information is amended to correct phone numbers to read (360) 586-1070/1071.

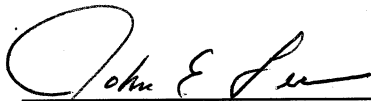
Page 7, Section IV - **VA BENEFITS AND ENTITLEMENTS** - is amended to include the 70th RRC, U.S. Army Reserve.

Page 9, Section IX, **MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES** - paragraph one is amended to include the 70th RRC, U.S. Army Reserve.

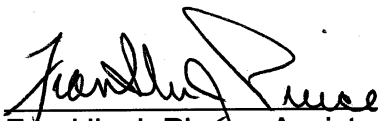
Page 13 is added to add Major General Johnson's signature block as witnessed by John Lee, Deputy Director, Washington State Department of Veterans Affairs, and Franklin J. Pierce, Assistant Director, Regional Office, Department of Veterans Affairs.



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